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Richmond Dispatch.

THE CIRCULATION OF THE DIS-PATCH IS LARGER THAN THE COMBINED CIECULATION OF ALL THE OTHER DAILY NEWSPAPERS OF THE CITY.

LOCAL MATTERS.

THE WEATHER TO-DAY .- From our re ports this morning the probabilities are that proper sewer connections with street inthe weather to-day will be partly cloudy and lets and change of gutters rendered neces-

CHURCH NOTES-BAPTISMS, ETC.-Rev. Mr. Wheat preached at the Monumental church on Sunday.

Rev. J. A. Chambliss, pastor of the Citadel Square Baptist church, Charleston, S. C., occupied the pulpit of the Second Baptist church on Sunday. In the morning be preached a very fine sermon to a large and very attentive congregation. At night the house was crowded to hear him preach the anniversary sermon before the Young Men's Missionary Society. Selecting as the foundation of his remarks the exhortation of Joshua to the two and a half tribes who had their inheritance on this side of Jordan that they would remember their promise to Moses and not enter upon their rest until they had assisted their brethren in possessing their inheritance in the land of Canaan, he deduced a number of practical thoughts on the modern mission enterprise, and elaborated them into an able, eloquent, and eminently practical sermon, which seemed to give universal satisfaction, and to produce a

very fine impression. After the service in the morning and at night also the members of the Second church crowded around their old pastor and gave him a most cordial greeting. Indeed, Mr. Chambliss' visit has been a complete ovation, which must have been highly gratify ing to him as showing the warm place he still has in the affections of his old church. It will be gratifying to the many friends of Mr. Chambliss in the city and in the State to hear that he is looking unusually well, and that he is winning golden opinions in

Charleston, where he is having a most successful pastorate. At the First Baptist church Rev. J. L. Burrows, D. D., baptized two persons on Sunday night.

At the Grace-Street Baptist Rev. N. W. Wilson, D. D., baptized one person. At the Leigh-Street Baptist Rev. J. R. Garlick, D. D., haptized one person. The congregation of the First Presbyterian

church worshipped again on Sunday with that of the Grace-Street Presbyterian church. Rev. Dr. Read officiated both morning and evening. At 6 P. M. there was a joint communion service of unusual interest, and several members were added to each church. At the Third Presbyterian church Rev. James H. Baird, of Baltimore, preached an excellent sermon.

Rev. Dr. Preston officiated at the funeral services of the late J. M. McGowan, at the Streets. Pythian Hall, on Sunday afternoon. The remains of the deceased were interred with FOR HOYT'S WHITE-CAK-TANNED LEA- Pythian ceremonies at Hollywood Cemetery.

> MONTHLY MEETING OF THE METHODIST SUN DAY-SCHOOL SOCIETY .- The regular monthly Street church Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock- jected. T. L. D. Walford, president, in the chair; John I.. Sims and J. E. Riddick, secretaries. The meeting was opened with prayer by Rev. W. G. Lumpkin, and singing by Broad-Street school.

The anniversary exercises of Broad-Street Sunday school were held in conjunction with the Society meeting. Mr. E. E. Parham, superintendent of Broad-Street school, read his annual report, which shows the school to be in a very good condition, comparing favorably with past years.

Rev. J. C. Granberry, pastor, then preented several beautiful prizes on behalf of Streets. the school for punctuality, recitations, and

Rev. George C. Vanderslice then addressed the meeting in a very forcible and practical

manner-sul-ject: "Our Privileges and Responsibilities."

The following is a summary of superintendents' reports for June, in part :

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A quarterly meeting of the Board of Directors will be held at Broad-street church and verified, and then published in the offinext Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. BAPTIST SUNDAY-SCHOOL ASSOCIATION .- The

Association was held at the Sidney Baptist church on Sunday afternoon. J. B. Winston, E-q, presided; Mr. Ofway D. Browne, secretary; and John S. Bethel, Esq., led the Association in prayer.

The reports of the schools were presented, of which the following is an abstract: MONTHLY | OUADTEDLY

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The First Church School reported forty one baptisms and two deaths. The Pine-Street school reported one death. The Leigh-Street school reported one baptism. The largest attendance during the month was on the 21st of June, when there were present in all the schools 290 officers and

teachers and 2,633 scholars. Rev. J. M. Butler addressed the Association, reviewing the past history of the schools, showing from what small beginnings they have risen to their present prosperity, and urged them to put forth renewed

efforts to increase their numbers and useful-Remarks of a similar character were made by Messrs. J. S. Bethel, C. Waltball, and

The attendance, owing to the inclement weather, was not large, but the exercises were quite interesting, enlivened as they were by the excellent singing of the Sidney

The Association adjourned to meet at the Fulton church on the afternoon of the second Sunday in August next.

IRON-MOULDERS' INTERNATIONAL UNION .-The Iron Moulders' International Union met in Convention at 9 o'cleck yesterday morning, and after the transaction of some unimportant business adjourned, and in a body All lerisons independ to me will please call and joined the Richmond Union and proceeded to Hattori's Garden. There was a band of the Fredericksburg Rairoad Company to receive passengers on Broad street on Sunday music with the pic-nic party, and the day music with the pic-nic party, and the day was pleasantly spent in dancing and other for an excursion, etc. Referred.

amusements. ADJUBGED BANKRUPTS .- R. D. McIlwaine Hitt, and the park on Gamble's Hill-enclo-Apply at the National Bank of Virginia. Jy 1 1m

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Apply at the National Bank of Virginia at the National Bank of Virgi Judged bankrupts upon their own petition. clude the cost of a park in Jackson Ward Parker C. Wescott, of this city; has also beyond Leigh street, and the immediate imcen adjudged a bank

The Board of Aldermen. ternoon-Mr. John A. Meredith, president, in the chair. Present : Messrs. Kellam, Lipscomb, Manly, Ordway, Scott, Smith, Spangen-burg, Sloan, Tanner, Todd, Vandervall, Wagner, Williams, and Zimmer.

STREET COMMITTEE. Mr. Charles L. Todd, from the Committee on Streets, presented the following joint re-

"Resolved. That the City Engineer be directed to continue the culvert on Seventh street from the corner of Theatre alley to the northern side of Broad street, and make the sary to abate the nuisance on Seventh and Brood streets. Estimated cost, \$400." Agreed to-Ayes, 14; noes, none.

JAMES RIVER IMPROVEMENT. Mr. Ordway, from the Committee on James River Improvement, reported that at their meeting, held on the 9th instant, the committee unanimously elected H. D. Whit-comb as engineer to fill the vacancy caused by the death of W. G. Turpin. The committee also say that it gives them pleasure to add that Colonel Whitcomb has been appointed engineer on the part of the United States to superintend their share of the

work. Accompanying the report was the follow-

mously: " Be it resolved by the Council of the city of Richmond (the Common Council concurring), That the appointment of H. D. Whitcomp as engineer by the Committee on Iuprovement of James River be and the same is hereby approved." POLICE.

Mr. Tanner, from the Committee on Police, reported a resolution requiring the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad company to keep a fligman at the corner of Seventeenth and Clay streets to warn persons of passing

trains. Agreed to. FROM THE PREVIOUS COUNCIL. Sundry papers from the retiring Council were taken up and disposed of-viz.: A resolution in relation to the opening of Twenty-first street, with the cost, &c., was

referred to the Committee on Streets, on motion of Mr. Ordway. An ordinance concerning the pay of offiers-increasing the pay of the Treasurer to \$2,400; Auditor to \$2,400; Superintendent charged with defrauding the Chesapeake

Mr. Ordway, referred to the Finance Committee. The ordinance in relation to the pay of the Police Justice, and increasing the same to \$2,500, was, on motion of Mr. Scott, indefi-

nitely postponed. A resolution as propriating so much of \$300 as may be nece-sary for the painting of the interior of the First market was, on motion of Mr. Scott, rejected.

Sundry papers concerning the new odorless excavator were, on motion of Mr. Manly, referred to the Committee on Health. Sundry papers from the Committee on Street Encroachments, &c., were, on motion of Mr. Manly, referred to the Committee on

Sundry papers on the subject of the Richmond and Trans-Alleghany Railroad Company were, on motion of Mr. Scott, passed Petition of citizens near the City Spring

lot protesting against the erection of the meeting of this Society was held at Broad- Howitzer armory was taken up and re-Ordinance, &c., in relation to the Bone Mill and Paper Mill was, on motion of Mr.

Scott, passed by. The resolution for the appointment of a committee of five, who shall call In the aid of the City Engineer, to test the depth of James river, &c., came up. On motion of Mr. Scott the subject was referred to the Committee on the Improvement of James River.

Clarksville extension, &c., were passed by, An ordinauce in relation to street-signs, &c., was referred to the Committee on Sundry papers concerning a claim of the

City Sergeant were, on motion of Mr. Scott. passed by. RECORDING THE CITY ORDINANCES, ETC.

Mr. Ordway, from the Committee on Orfor the engrossing and enrolling of all ordior joint resolution by the Mayor withdays, &c., shall be considered the rethe same to the City Council. The ore was adopted and ordered to be comated to the lower house.

committee also recommend that the ly statements of the Auditor, as at cial paper of the city, in order that all citizens may have the opportunity to fully examine the expenditures made by their repreregular meeting of the Baptist Sunday-School sentatives. The committee recommend the printing of all the ordinances of the city, in order to facilitate the members of the City Council in their duties, &c.

The following resolution was presented. which, together with the report, was adopt-

" Be it resolved by the Council of the city of Richmond (the Common Council concurring), That the joint Committee on Ordipances are hereby directed to collect and prepare the city ordinances for publication, and that they be authorized to employ a clerk at such compensation as they may find necessary, providing the total expense shall not month, thereby endangering the lives of exceed \$500."

The committee also presented an ordinance amending and re-enacting sections 2 tried and acquitted. and 10 of an ordinance in relation to the auditor, providing for the establishment of an Auditing Board, to consist of the Mayor, city a statement of all maney paid out by the city, to whom, and for what purpose. On motion of Mr. Wagner, the ordinance was referred to the Committee on Finance.

FROM THE COMMON COUNCIL. Common Council resolution in relation to the deposit of garbage and offensive matter in the city limits was taken up, and on motion of Mr. Manly referred to the Committee on Health.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND ORDERS. By Mr. Sloan: A resolution authorizing Justice W. H. Crew to act as Police Justice in the absence of the Police Justice of

By Mr. Williams: Joint resolution estab lishing the Joint Committee on the Fire Department and the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department a board to whom shall be referred all petitions for the erection of wooden buildings, who shall have authority to grant or reject the same, reporting the result to the Council. Agreed to.

By Mr. Scott: Semi-annual report of the coroner, and his bill, which was ordered to e paid. By the same: Official bonds of several city

officers; which were referred to the Finance Committee. By the same: Bill for jury service in the

Chancery Court, amounting to \$108. Order ed to be paid. By the same: Bill for jury service in the Circuit Court, amounting to \$33; which was ordered to be paid.

By the same: Joint resolution authorizing By Mr. Sloan: Joint resolution as to cost of improving Marshall Park, on Church

provement of the same.

Mr. Scott moved to amend by adding the ! The regular semi-monthly meeting of the park on Chimborazo Heights, and accompa-Board of Aldermen was held vesterday af- nying the motion presented a petition signed by about one thousand citizens asking for

the said park. Mr. Vandervall moved to refer the whole matter to the Committee on Streets. Lost. The resolution, with amendments, was agreed to, and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings and the City

Engineer. By Mr. Forrester: A resolution requestng the Committee on Police to inquire into the establishment of a work-house, &c.

Agreed to. By Mr. Wagner: A resolution directing the City Engineer to relay the flagging on Jefferson street at its intersection with

Broad. Agreed to.

The usual number of petitions, etc., were presented and referred. 7:40, adjourned.

Personal.-Alexander Hogg, A. M., Professor of Mathematics of the Alabama State Agricultural and Mechanical College, was in the city yesterday on his way to attend the State Educational Convention to be held in Norfolk. The Professor is a native of Virginia, and one of the original members of the Virginia State Educational Association. He speaks in the highest terms of the Eev. Dr. Curry's address before the students of the Alabama Agricultural and Mechanical ing resolution, which was agreed to unani- College on the occasion of the late commencement. There were over two thousand people present, and the effort was generally pronounced one of the grandest of Dr. Curry's life. The college is in a flour-

ishing condition. Profe-sor William C. Stubbs, a native of Gloucester, and secretary of the faculty of the same college, was also in the city yesterday, intending to visit the "old folks at

Governor Kemper did not return from Fortress Monroe yesterday, as was expected. Major H. D Whitcomb has tendered his resignation as chief engineer of the Chesa-

peake and Ohio railroad, to take effect on the 15th instant. FORGERY AND RAILROAD TICKET CASES .-The Police Court-room was crowded yesterday morning by persons attracted by the expected examination of the cases of Van Ness the forger, and J. C. Stocking, C. H. Motley, Henry Tyler, and J. H. Childrey,

Alms-Liouse to \$1.250 -- was, on motion of and Ohio Railroad. Company by seiling passenger tickets that had been previously used; but the case of Van Ness, upon his motion, and the cases against the other parties, upon motion of the prosecution, were postponed until to-day. No evidence was heard except sufficient to determine a motion for reduction of bail in the case of J. C. Stocking, and no new tacts were elicited. All the accused in the railroad cases were bailed in

8500 each.

ESCAPE OF A CONVICT .- Yesterday evening alarmed by the delay that has been. while a small gang of convicts in charge of a guard were handling lumber under the in favor of Colonel Ordway, we would say sheds outside the penitentiary walls, one of that in our experience on work for the Govthe number, a colored man, named Kennedy ernment we have never seen a contractor Smith, succeeded in escaping. He had cut more worthy of the confidence of up the blankets belonging to his cell and the Government, or one who more made of them a suit of clothes, which he faithfully and conscientiously endervors wore under his striped suit. Having availed to carry out his contract. Our relations himself of a favorable opportunity to escape, with him have been most satisfactory to us. he threw off his striped suit, and, in his He has uniformly and regularly paid our blanket suit, passed through the western wages on the established pay-day

suburbs of the city unnoticed. and that when he found himself watched knowledge and experience of such matters bad swam to an island in the river, doubtless | would have any weight with you we leel intending to cross from it to the Chesterfield justified in assuring you that we do not beshore, as the water is quite low there and a lieve the Government could make any congood part of the distance can be waded, tract that would be so advantageous to them The papers concerning the Keysville and ty, and was serving out a term of sixteen with Colonel Ordway. years for horse-stealing. It is believed he is making his way back to his old home. A reward is offered for his arrest.

RUNAWAY .- Yesterday morning a youth named Lewis Harman, from the orpaan asylum in Harvietown, had a horse and wagon down at the Old Market for the purpose of carrying home marketing, when a man came sent from Patrick for eight years for murder along rolling a wheelbarrow of ice and struck in the second degree; and Lena Johnson, dinances, presented an ordinance providing the horse and caused him to run off at a rapid rate down the street. They came in larceny, were received at the penitentiary nances, their printing, binding, &c., and contact with a cart and turned the wagon also providing that the return of an ordiover, and that stopped him. The wagon

was broken. ENTERED AND CLEARED .- British bark Wild Hunter, Captain F. C. Erickson, fortynine days from Liverpool, with salt to Messrs. Lee, Seddon & Co. She experienced heavy weather on the voyage.

Cleared, British brigantice Swiftsure, Captain Joseph Appledore, with flour shipped by Haxall, Crenshaw & Co.

QUALIFIED.-W. C. Adams qualified as clerk of the Gas Works yesterday morning before Mr. Andrew Junkius, notary public. His bond for \$1,000 for the faithful discharge, of his duties was given. Mr. B. T. August qualified yesterday be-

fore the city clerk as sergeant-at-arms of the two branches of the City Council. Mr. J. H. Knowles qualified before Mr. Andrew Jinkins as Superintendent of the Gas Works.

TRIED AND ACQUITTED. - The case of Andrew J. Tyler, charged with firing a pistol in the public streets on the 28th of last peaceful citizens, was called in the Hustings Court yesterday morning. The accused was

BOUNTIFUL RAINFALL.-The rain which commenced Saturday night continued the Auditor, and Treasurer, to approve and through the greater part of Sunday, and publish monthly in the officist paper of the must have done great good to all growing crops in this section of country. It was the unest rain we have had this summer.

DROWNED IN THE RIVER .- A little boy named Thomas McNamara, son of Tim Me-Namara, of Rocketts, aged seven years, was drowned yesterday in the river. The body was recovered. His tuneral will take place

to-day. HUSTINGS COURT, YESTERDAY-Judge Guigon presiding .- Emmi Tinsley was tried for this evening and there was another negro unlawfully stealing a five-dollar greenback there, who looked over the letters and gave from Emma Payne, and acquitted by the

jury. Drowned .- On Suurday morning a negro man named Adkins, in the employ of the York River Railroad Company, while repairing the bridge over the Pamunkey river, fell off and was drowned.

CHEAP EXCURSION TO WASHINGTON .- An excursion to Washington and return for only three dollars is announced for Thursday next, via the fast express train of the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac railroad. Passengers leave Richmond at 7:30 A. M., spend six hours in Washington, and return by 10:30 P. M.

POLICE COMMISSIONERS .- The Board of Police Commissioners met yesterday afternoon, but adjourned without transacting any business. The Board will meet again to-day to decide whether Judge Meredith or General Johnson shall be a member of the body.

the school of Misses Pemberton and Gaine will give a concert and tableaux at Virginia Opera-House to-morrow evening at 82 o'clock.

STATE TREASURY .- The balance in the State Treasury yestérday was \$378,135.41. RANGE OF THERMOMETER in the Dispatch counting-room Monday, July 18th : 3 P. M.

The Government Granite Contract. THE STONECUTTERS APPEAL TO THE SECRETARY

OF STATE TO GIVE IT TO COLONEL ORDWAY. The following petition has received the signatures of numerous stonecutters who were lately employed at Colonel Ordway's Granite Works, and will be shortly forward ed to the United States Secretary of State, to whom it is addressed:

" RICHMOND, Va., July 10, 1874. To the Honorable Secretary of State: "Sir: We, the undersigned stonecutters and mechanics who were employed by Albert Ordway in executing his contract for furnishing and cutting granite for the new State Department building, and who are now assembled here in the city of Richmond awaiting the resumption of his work under the appropriation recently made by Congress, have heard with dismay that there is delay and On motion of Mr. Kellam, the Board, at possible doubt as to the fact or manner of his contract being continued.

"We desire most respectfully to represent to you our condition, and to petition urgently for such immediate, action as will afford us relief.

"Our condition may be briefly represented to you : We came here over two years ago. from all parts of the country, to work for Colonel Ordway. We have been employed for many years in various parts of the country by contractors furnishing stone-work to the Government, and supposed that the work under this contract would continue, as all similar works, for many years, witnout interruption until its completion. Many of us, therefore, at great expense, moved our families here, and purchased with our hardearned savings small homes, with the prospect of completing our payments for them out of our work in the future. When the work was stopped last winter for want of appropriation, we were obliged, therefore, to remain here under the supposition of speedy resumption of work, for to have removed would have entailed expenses we could not bear, and involved the loss of our property.

"Others of us had deposited all our sayings as they accrued in one of the banking institutions of the city, which suspended during the financial troubles of last autumn with over forty thousand dollars of our exists in prime cigars and tobacco, handsome canes money in their hands. To save this from and umbrellas, elegant jewelry, stylish collars and total loss we have been forced to remain scarfs, rewspaners, books and magazines, gents here to guard our interests. furnishing and fancy goods, etc. Remember, Main

"We have, therefore, remained here now six months without work, having full faith that the contract would be continued as soon as necessary appropriation should be made, as we knew of no reason why it should not. "Our condition now is most deplorablewith property on our hands that we are unable to dispose of or meet our payments on, with all of our savings tied up beyond our control, and without work or money for six months. Our sole dependence and only safeguard against almost utter ruin to ourselves and families is on the employment that can be furnished us here by Colonel Ordway, and any further delay will be most disastrous to us, as our creditors are already

"If we may be permitted to add one word one exception, during the financial panic Superintendent Strother, who went in when he gave as his certificate for such balsearch of him on horseback, was told at the lance as he was unable to pay, and promptly Three-Mile Locks that a man answering his paid us those certificates as soon as he ardescription had been seen in that vicinity, ranged his financial matters. If our own The prisoner came from Pittsylvania coun- as the continuance of the one now existing

"Our necessities compel us to thus earnestly petition that you will direct work to be re sumed on the contract at once, and thereby relieve our sufferings."

FEMALE CONVICTS .- Susan Thornton, of Charlotte, who is to undergo eighteen years' imprisonment for murder; Laura Scales, sent from Danville for three years for grand

SUDDEN DEATH .- Betsy Chamberlayne, a

sister of Rev. John Jasper, died suddenly

last evening at 106 east Leigh street. She

was in her usual health during the day, but was taken sick with a severe pain in her chest about half-past 5. She died about nightfall. Coroner Taylor visited the premises, and concluded from the circumstances that she died of congestion of the lungs. No inquest. POLICE COURT, MONDAY-Justice J. J.

White presiding .- Henry Cobb (negro) was fined \$1 for an assault upon Amanda Morris; Louis Brandt \$2 for an assault upon a child of Maria Jefferson (negro) ; John Heury, for creating a disturbance in the street,

The following persons were sent to jail: Amanda Morris (negro), guilty of trespassing upon the premises of Henry Cobb, and cursing and abusing him, for sixty days; Mary Robinson (negro), guilty of stealing clothing from Lizzie Coleman, for ten days; Albert Pearman, guilty of stealing a shot-gun from J. S. Bradiey, for four months.

UNMAILABLE LETTERS REMAINING IN THE RICHMOND POST-OFFICE JULY 13, 1874 .-E. H. Chamberlayn, passenger St. Louis, at Palmer, Hartsook & Co.'s; Peter H. Jackson, iron works Twenty-eighth street near Second avenue, New York city; Miss M. B. Randolph, Edge Hill; Mr. Louis Rawlings, care of J. J. Young, Fredericksburg, Va.; Mr. W.S. White, care of W. S. Donnan & Sons, Richmond, Va. John Wesley, Granite post-office, Chesterfield county, Va.

Another Complaint of the Post-Office. RICHMOND, July 13, 1874.

I went to the post-office Saturday, July 15 called for letters for myself, and the man who waits on the general delivery told me there were none for me, and I went there me three, and I should have gotten the same C. H. HATLEY. on Saturday.

LEVY BROTHERS have received another lot of lace-striped Victoria lawns for polanaises; also, a large assortment of Hamburg edgings and insertings. THE LAST CHANCE.-This is rather a startling

announcement in reference to anything that may be desirable, and it will always attract attention. The former concerts of the Public Library of Kentucky, although brilliant successes, did not appeal to the public as does the next, which is the last that can be given under the charter of that popular institution. Many have hitherto deferred buying tickets, being resolved to wait for the last concertthe fifth-which is to take place July 31st, and there is no mistaking the fact that all classes of persons are aware that this is indeed the last chance for a brilliant fortuge in the turn of a wheel. \$2,500,000 in cash, which is to be distributed to ticket-holders, and prizes such as \$250,000, \$100,-000, \$75,000. \$50.000, &c., &c., have no parallel in the history of the world, and so it is not surprising that every one is endeavoring to take ad-CONCERT AND TABLEAUX .- The scholars of vantage of this last chance-every ticket will, of For tickets or information apply to A. P.

> L'ECUYER, No. 909 Bank street, Richmond, Va. RUBBER, SILK, and LEATHER BELTS can now be had at LEVY BROTHERS' in all qualit es. SHOULD YOU NEED WHITE GOODS of any description, laces, or embroideries, you will find a large

and well-selected stock at great bargains at LEVY

BROTHERS'. PEACHES, sweet and juley, at Pizzini's.

One square, one insertion.
One square, two insertions.
One square, three insertions.
One square, six insertions.
One square, twelve insertions. NO. 162. One square, two months...................

ner, found out it is not a mere advertising dodge of

Pizzini's, but that they run a risk of not being

MORNING, NOON, AND NIGHT .- Notwithstand

ing the increasing heat they are busy morning.

noon, and night at the Public Library office filling

orders for tickets in the next and last gift concert,

The charter of the Litrary limited the trustees to

five gift concerts-four having already been im-

mensely successful. The fifth and last, and greates

of all, is rapidly approaching, when \$2.500,000 in cash will be distributed in gifts ranging downward from \$250,000, \$100.000, \$75,000, and \$50,

BANANAS, the finest in town, may be found at

SPECIAL NCTICE .- Fromthis date E. B. SPENCE

& SON will sell their summer stock at greatly re-

inced prices. Those in want of nice clothing at low

prices are invited to give them a cail. They still

have a nice stock of linea and alpaca goods at very

BARGAINS in remnants of all kinds of ladies'

COLD SODA-WATER, with fruit syrup, at PIZZI-

FOUND AT LAST-The long sought-for place

where you can get money loaned on your damonds, watches, jewelry, sliverware, &c. Call at A. Har-

RIS'S Loan Office, 1322 Main street, and you wil

learn all about it. All transactions strictly conti-

THE COMET, with its sparking tall.

So grand and pretty, does not fail

To draw a great deal of attention;

It does predict, so some ones say,

A faiture in the babies-crop,

In things to happen, as I see

In fancy notions altogether

Almost as great variety

A row in Grant's election shop.

Or wet, severe, and dreary weather,

t SCHAAP'S, 1402 Main street. The variety there

street, one door below Fourteenth, at SCHAAP'S.

THIS is the season of the year to purchase your

the lowest mark. You have yet three months to

wear summer dresses. Those who need dress goods

cannot do better than to call at LEVY BROTHERS'.

THE ASSORTMENT OF HANDKERCHIEFS at LEVY

BROTHERS' is deserving of the attention of those

in need of this article. They have pure linen hand-

kerchiefs from 75c. per dozen up to \$12. Also, a

large stock of lace handkerchlefs and a large as-

sortment of silk handkerchiefs of the latest styles.

LEVY BROTHERS offer a large lot of NOTTING

HAM LACE CURTAINS, WINDOW SHADES, CARPETS,

OIL-CLOTHS, and MATTING at prices to suit the

REMOVAL-A. HARRIS'S Loan Office (established

AUCTION SALES THIS DAY.

DAVENPORT & MORRIS will sell for John W.

Wright, sheriff, at 10 A. M., at the store of

Charles M. Wallace, on Cary street, in Commer-

cial Block, a large stock of liquors, wines, &c.

COOK & LAUGHTON, 10 A. M., furniture, her

W. GODDIN, 6 P. M., commissioner's sale of lot

Saunders's alley, between First and Adams

MILITARY NOTICES.

DISSOLUTIONS & PARTNERSHIPS.

DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNER-

SSOUTION

HIP.—The co-partnership heretofore existing under the name an istyle of M. J. POWERS & CO. Is nere by dissolved by mutual consent. J. J. Wright is alone authorized to use the name of the firm in settling accounts, and will pay all liabilities.

M. J. POWERS, J. J. WRIGHT.

BEOLYMPIA JULY 11, 1874.

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CO-PARTNERSHIP.

F. S. LUMKIN and J. J. WRIGHT have this day formed a co-partnership for the purpose of carrying on the PHOTOGRAPA BUSINESS in all its various branches, under the name and style of E. S. LUMKIN & CO., at No. 1011 Main street, opposite the post-office.

DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNER

SHIP.—The co-partnership heretofore existing under the name and style of TORBECK & DIACONT is her by dissolved by mutual consent. Henry R. Torbeck is alone authorized to use the name

i the firm in settling up accounts, &c. TORBECK & DIACONT.

CLOTHING.

THE ALL CASH SYSTEM

in vogue at

WILKINSON & WITHERS'S

(opposite the post-office),

has wonderfully cut down the prices

OF

CLOTHING AND FURNISHINGS.

CALL AND EEE.

[jy 14-eod3t]

TOTICE.—In order to make a change in

NOTICE.—In order to make a change in my business I offer my entire stock of OLOTHING and GENTLEM 2N'S FU INISHING GOODS AT COST.

M. W. ROSE, 1202 Main street, between Twelfth and 1 hirteenth, je 9-1m

SPRING CLOTHING.

THE LARGEST STOCK to be found in the CIT?

MEN'S, YOUTHS', BOY's or CHILDREN'S

wear, CUT TASTY, MADE WELL, and for sale a

REMOVALS.

1109 Main treet

DO NOT FORGET

FASHIONABLE

Sign: LONG FLAG.

DEMOVAL.

uance of the same, H. R. TORBECK.

jy 13-3t

RICHMOND, July 11, 1874.

in 1865) has been removed to 1322 Main street.

PIZZINI has some fine PEACHES.

Also, from safe and office fixtures.

rings, &c.

jy 14-1t*

Fifteenth streets.

to Broad street.

War, or hard times, or judgment-day,

An anti-bread and-meat convention,

orders. Eend them in early.

which takes place July 31, 1874.

000-there being 20,000 prizes in all.

PEACH ICE-CREAM at PIEZINI'S.

dress goods at LEVY BROTHERS'.

low prices.

dential.

ICE-CREAM FOR SUNDAY .- Those who put of sending in their orders until Saturday evening, and were disappointed in their desert for Sunday's din

EXCURSIONS. A TTENTION!

Limited excursion to WASHINGTON AND BACK sto Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomse route, all rail, by the fast express train, leaving Broadable to get his unequalled creams by delaying their

THE DISPATCH

TERMS OF ADVERTISING:

nth.....

CASH-INVARIABLY IN ADVANCE.

THURSDAY NEXT, 16TH INSTANT, at 7:30 A.M. A limited number of EXCURSION TICKETS WILL A limited number of Excousion rickers will be sold to Washington, good to return to kichmond at 10:30 P M. the same day, allowing SIX HOURS. IN THE CITY OF WASHINGTON. Fare, only \$3. Parties de iring to do so can go over to Baltimore on the same train, have three hours for business in Baltimore, and return to kichmond the same P. M. Fare—Washington to Baltimore and return, \$2, thus making a round trip to Baltimore and back, \$5.

SCHEDULE: Leave Bichmond at 7:30 A. M.
Arrive at Washington at 11:50 A. M.
Leave Washington at 6:00 P. M.
Arrive at kichmond at 10:50 P. M.

For further information and tickets, apply at Ford's Hotel from 7 A. M. to 1:30 P. M., and from 4:30 P. M. to 8 P. M., and at the depot the morning of the excursion.

Jy 14-2t WILLIAM D. GILKESON.

TIRGINIA LODGE, No. 2, KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

A REPETITION OF THEIR LATE DELIGHTFUL TRIP DOWN THE RIVER.

we go to Shirley, starting at 7% A. M. from Old Dow inton Steamship Company's wharf, returning positively at 8 P. M.

As before, the same accommodations have been provided for dancing, and every provision made to secure a cool and enjoyable trip, and one especially tempting to the ladies and secure for children. No bar. A thorough and efficent police force. A variety of amusements to please all. Refreshments at city prices. Those preferring can bring baskets. McCann's famous band accompanies.

TICKETS: Gentlemen. \$1; ladies, 50c.; children (twelve years old and under). 25c.

GEORGE R. WALDMAN, C. C.

C. J. FOX, Sr., Chairman Committee.

Jy 14-18,21,25±27

HO! FOR "WILTON"

AND "DUTCH GAP," ON THE NOBLE "JAMES!"

THE BASKET PIC-NIC OF THE SEASON! ladles' dress goods. The prices are now reduced to

EXCURSION TO COBB'S ISLAND.

The steamer ELIZA HANCOX will make an EXCURSION TO COBB'S ISLAND DIRECT FROM NORFOLK, VUE DE L'EAU,

AND OLD POINT, On THURSDAY MORNING, July 18th. Passengers leaving here on the steamer Sylvester on Wednesday, July 15th, will connect with this rip of the "Hancox." L. B. TATUM, jy 10-tJy15 General Agent.

on south side of Cary between Fourteenth and GRUBBS & WILLIAMS, 5% P. M., the brick rest VIRGINIA OPERA-HOUSE dence (No. 213 Mayo street) south of and near

J. B. BLAND & CO. will sell immediately after the MISSES PEMBERTON AND GAINES, sale of W. Wallace Sons, a lot of tobacco ma-On WEDNESDAY EVENING, July 15th, 1874 at 814 o'clock P. M. GRUBBS & WILLIAMS, 6 P. M., brick house on

> BENEFIT OF ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH will take place at the FAIR GROUNDS on

HEADQUARTERS FIRST VIRGI-H
NIA REGIMENT, JULY 14, 1874.—There is
will be a meeting of the **ECUTIVE** BOARD in
of the regiment at the Piedmont and Arlington in
Insurance Company's effice Tills (Tuesday) EVENING at 8% o clock. A full attendance is especially desired as the feasibility of an encampment
will be discussed. By order of Colonel SLOAN.
jy 14-1t
E. D. STARKE, Adjutant. SCHUTZEN PARK, DELIGHTFUL SUMMER RETREAT, FINE SCENERY, &C. This beautiful Park having been recently fixed up and put in thorough order, is for 66 F ?? COMPANY.—Assemble at the armory THIS (Tuesday) EVENING at 18% o'clock. There will be no drill, but busi-if ness in which ever, member is interested. A full flatendance is expected. By order of Captain CLARKE.

LARKE.

By Order of Captain O'CLARKE.

NOTICE.—CERTIFICATES No. 257 for four shares, and No. 328 for three shares, of old stock of the Virginia sire and Marine Insurance Company, in my name, have been lost or mis-

this office.

1 CATE No. 86 of forty shares of old stock of the Virginia Vire and Marine Lasurance Company, in the same of Hichard C. Wortham. Application will be made for the reissue of said scrip. CHARLES T. WORTHAM. I shall continue the manufacture of CIGAR BOXES at my old stand, No. 614 hast Cary street, between Sixth and Seventh streets. I return my thanks to my friends for their patronage, and sollicit a continuance of the same

MULES, HOR TE, de.

Just arrived at our stable a large lot of FIRST-RATE MULES.

LIME. CEMENT, PLASTER. ROCKLAND LIME AND ROSENDALE 1,520 barrels ROCKLAND LIME daily expected

IME! LIME!! LIME!!! 1,500 barrels fres's INDIAN ROCK LIME just received.

We are now constantly receiving a supply of INDIAN ROCK LIMS resh from our kins. For
salelow.

DILLON, ELL-TT & CO.,
my 4 Manufacturers, 1503 Dock street.

\$50 REWARD will be paid for the ar-DESCRIPTION:

Same foot.
Sent from the county of Pittsylvanis, August
30, 1871. I r horse-stealing. Term of sentence,
sixteen years. GE 1866. F. STROTHER.
Superintendent Virginia Peniten.lary.
jy14 1w

ELEVENTH AND BANK STREETS. offers to his friends and the public every sesson

AMUSEMENTS. CONCERT AND TABLEAUX

by the scholars of

Admission, 50c.; children half price. jy 14-2t* A GRAND PIC-NIC

JULY 15TH. A train of cars will go every hou-from Ninth and Broad streets. Good arrangements for order, and enjoyment will be attended to by jy 11-Sat.Tu & Wed THE COMMITTEE.

cently fixed up and put in thorough order, is for rent to Lodges, Orders, private parties, &c., &c. Being on the bank of the river, it commands the finest view of any establishment of its aind near the city. There is on the ground a new and elegant pavilion for duncing, &c.

The Park is open daily for the reception of visitors. No pains nor expense have been spared to make it the equal of any place of amusement in the city. Good order will be strictly enforced. Apply on the grounds, or through post-office box 42.

YUENGLING & CO.,

je 25-3m

Proprietors.

LOST, STRAYED, &c.

Application will be made to the Company for a renewal of the same.

OST, on Thursday afternoon or night, BREASTPIN, on which was a blue enamelled bird.
The finder will be rewarded if the same is left at OTICE.-Lost or mislaid, CERTIFI.

Surviving Executors. je 10-2aw2m

GIRST-CLASS MULES.

TURNER & CO.

per schooner Florence Mayo:
450 barrels HOFFMAN'S ROSENDALE CEMENT just received,
Par sale low by

A. S. LEE. A. S. LEE. For sale low by

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT VIRGISIA PERITENTIARY.
RICHMOND, VA., July 13, 1874.)

Complexion. black; bair, black; eres, black; 5 fee, 7% menes high; age, twenty ; ears.
Sear on instep of ra ht foot, and one on big toe of.

LETELLE, CORNER OF

article for the quide and all the luxuries of sea and have removed to No. 1117 MAIN STREET, in the store formerly occupied by Mr. Benjamin Bates, bookseller.

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WEDNESDAY, JULY 29.